

VALENTINE, BERGEN & Co.,

WHOLESALE GROCERS,

15 FULTON STREET,

BROOKLYN,

May 17<sup>th</sup> 1888

To the Director of the Mint  
Dear Sir,

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Yours

Valentine Bergen & Co.

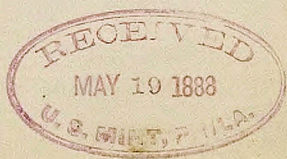
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Box 152 May-Jun 1888

Brooklyn, N.Y.  
May 17, 1888.

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Ask if there is a \$60  
Gold Coin.



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